

APRIL/MAY 2024

**23UECA22B — RESOURCE MANAGEMENT
TECHNIQUES**

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

SECTION A — (10 × 2 = 20 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

1. Define feasible solution.
2. What are the different types of Linear Programming?
3. Define Degeneracy.
4. Give the main objective of Least Cost method.
5. List out the objectives of the assignment problem.
6. What is an unbalanced assignment problem?
7. Define PERT.

- (b) The following details are available regarding a project :

| Activity | Predecessor Activity | Duration (Weeks) |
|----------|----------------------|------------------|
| A | — | 3 |
| B | A | 5 |
| C | A | 7 |
| D | B | 10 |
| E | C | 5 |
| F | D, E | 4 |

Determine the critical path, the critical activities and the project completion time.

15. (a) Find the optimal plan for both the player.

Player – B

| | I | II | III | IV |
|---------------|----|----|-----|----|
| I | -2 | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| Player – A II | 4 | 2 | 1 | 3 |
| III | -4 | -3 | 0 | -2 |
| IV | 5 | 3 | -4 | 2 |

Or

- (b) Find the range of values of p and q which will render the entry (2, 2) a saddle point for the game.

Player B

| | B ₁ | B ₂ | B ₃ |
|-------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Player A A ₁ | 2 | 4 | 5 |
| A ₂ | 10 | 7 | q |
| A ₃ | 4 | p | 6 |

SECTION C — (3 × 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any THREE questions.

16. Use the simplex method to solve the (LP) model:

$$\text{Max } Z = 5x_1 + 4x_2$$

Subject to

$$6x_1 + 4x_2 \leq 24$$

$$x_1 + 2x_2 \leq 6$$

$$-x_1 + x_2 \leq 1$$

$$x_2 \leq 2$$

$$x_1, x_2 \geq 0$$